UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

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Plaintiff

v. Case No. 24-30020
Originating No. 2:23-cr-16

LYRIC ELIZABETH STEVENSON,

Defendant.

GOVERNMENT'S PETITION FOR TRANSFER OF DEFENDANT TO ANOTHER DISTRICT AND SUPPORTING BRIEF

Pursuant to Rule 5(c)(3)(D) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, the United States of America hereby petitions the Court for an order transferring defendant **LYRIC ELIZABETH STEVENSON**, to answer to charges pending in another federal district, and states:

1. On <u>January 22, 2024,</u> defendant was arrested in the Eastern District

Michigan in connection with a federal arrest warrant issued in the <u>Western</u>

<u>District of Michigan based on an Indictment</u>. Defendant is charged in that district with violations of <u>21 U.S.C§ 846, 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(C), and 21</u>

<u>U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(C) –Conspiracy to distribute and</u>

Possess with Intent to Distribute Methamphetamine.

2. Rule 5 requires this Court to determine whether defendant is the person named in the arrest warrant and is entitled to a preliminary examination as described in Paragraph One above. See Fed. R. Crim. P. 5(c)(3)(D)(ii).

WHEREFORE, the government requests this Court to conduct transfer proceedings in accordance with Rule 5 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure.

Respectfully submitted,

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